

OSC Dennis Matlock reported that the interceptor trench was being pumped out approximately every 7 hours since completion of the new liner installation. Once the trench is full, pumping takes approximately 4 minutes. Water pumping operations halted at all other locations on the site overnight (locations inside and outside the tank containment area), resulting in more frequent pumping of the trench. The water pumping will resume from the culvert and sumps in the tank containment area until the facility develops a water management plan.

The facility reported that yesterday they shipped approximately 3,000 gallons of MCHM contaminated waste water from the Poca Blending Facility to Waste Management DSI in Hurricane, WV. DSI had no issues with the solidification of the wastewater and the facility is awaiting SPLP test results from the solidified waste.

The facility vacuumed approximately 6-9" of soil and gravel from the vac tank staging area to prevent any further possible cross contamination from previous loading activities. During the excavation, a strong petroleum odor was observed and a MCHM-like sheen was observed on water that pooled in the area. The soil and gravel were placed in roll offs for disposal. The area was then backfilled with clean gravel.

The facility reports that all salable materials are now off-site. The tanks are empty and ready to be cleaned. The facility currently has plans to excavate the ditch along the outside of the east side containment wall to intercept shallow water prior to entering the tank containment area.